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PERALB Genetics Corporation

MICCENS, THERE HAS BEEN PRESENTED TO THE

Secretary of Agriculture

AN APPLICATION REQUESTING A CERTIFICATE OF PROTECTION FOR AN ALLEGED DISTINCT VARIETY OF SEXUALLY REPRODUCED, OR TUBER PROPAGATED PLANT, THE NAME AND DESCRIPTION OF WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS, A COPY OF WHICH IS HEREUNTO ANNEXED AND MADE A PART HEREOF, AND THE VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS OF LAW IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH, AND THE TITLE THERETO IS, FROM THE RECORDS OF THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE, IN THE APPLICANT(S) INDICATED IN THE SAID COPY, AND WHEREAS, UPON DUE EXAMINATION MADE, THE SAID APPLICANT(S) IS (ARE) adjudged to be entitled to a certificate of plant variety protection under the LAW.

now, therefore, this certificate of plant variety protection is to grant unto the said applicant(s) AND THE SUCCESSORS, HEIRS OR ASSIGNS OF THE SAID APPLICANT(S) FOR THE TERM OF TWENTY YEARS FROM THE DATE OF THIS GRANT, SUBJECT TO THE PAYMENT OF THE REQUIRED FEES AND PERIODIC REPLENISHMENT OF VIABLE BASIC SEED OF THE VARIETY IN A PUBLIC REPOSITORY AS PROVIDED BY LAW, THE RIGHT TO EXCLUDE OTHERS from selling the variety, or offering it for sale, or reproducing it, or importing it, or exporting it, CONDITIONING IT FOR PROPAGATION, OR STOCKING IT FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE PURPOSE, OR USING IT IN icing a hybrid or different variety therefrom, to the extent provided by the Plant Variety

CTION ACT. (84 STAT. 1542, AS AMENDED, 7 U.S.C. 2321 ET SEQ.)

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In Jestimonn Mucrost, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Hant Inviern Frotection Office to be affixed at the City of Washington, D.C. this second day of May, in the year two thousand two.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY - PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE

The following state nents are made in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a) and the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995.

APPLICATION FOR PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE Application is required in order to determine if a plant variety protection certificate is to be issued (7 U.S.C. 2421). Information is held confidential until certificate is issued (7 U.S.C. 2426).

(instructions and information	Collection burden statement	on rever	se) 	<u> </u>	····			
1 NAME OF OWNER				Z. TEMPORARY DESIGNATION OR EXPERIMENTAL NAME		3. VARIETY NAME		
DEKALB Genetics Corporation							17DHD16	
4 ADDRESS (Street and No., or R.F.D. No.,	City, State, and ZIP Code, and Coul	rary)			5. TELEPHONE (include are.	a code)	FOR OFFICIAL TISE ONLY	
	••				(815) 758-928	1	PVPO NUMBER	
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DeKalb, I	L 60115				(815) 758-3117	,	<u> </u>	
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(815) 758-9281	(815) 758-3117			tkain@del	alb.com		Corn	
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· -			16, FAM	MILY NAME (Bolanical) 17. IS THE VARIETY A FIRST GENERATION HYBRID?				
<u>∠ea m</u>	iays .			Gramineae 🔲 YES X NO				
18. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX FOR EACH ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED (Follow instructions on reverse)			19. DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE SOLD AS A CLASS OF CERTIFIED SEED? See Section 83(a) of the Plant Variety Protection Act)					
a. X Exhibit A. Origin and Breeding I	History of the Variety			☐ YES (If 'yes', answer items 20 X NO (If 'no," go to item 22) and 21 below)				
b. X Exhibit B, Statement of Distinct				20. DOES THE OWNER SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO NUMBER				
c. X Exhibit C. Objective Description d. T Exhibit D. Additional Description	•	•		OF GENERATIONS?				
d. Exhibit D. Additional Description of the Variety (Optional) e. X Exhibit E. Statement of the Basis of the Owner's Ownership				TYES NO				
Voucher Sample (2,500 viable untreated seeds or, for tuber propagated varieties, verification that tissue culture will be depositied and maintained in an approved public.				21. IF "YES" TO ITEM 20, WHICH CLASSES OF PRODUCTION BEYOND BREEDER SEED?				
repository)				☐ F	OUNDATION REGIS	TERED [CERTIFIED	
States" (Mail to the Plant Variety Protection Office)								
22. HAS THE VARIETY (INCLUDING ANY HARVESTED MATERIAL) OR A HYBRID PRODUCED FROM THIS VARIETY BEEN SOLD, DISPOSED OF, TRANSFERRED, OR USED IN THE U. S. OR OTHER COUNTRIES?				23, IS THE VARIETY OR ANY COMPONENT OF THE VARIETY PROTECTED BY INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHT (PLANT BREEDER'S RIGHT OR PATENT)?				
X YES U.S. February 2000 ☐ NO			☐ YES X NO					
IF YES, YOU MUST PROVIDE THE DATE OF FIRST SALE, DISPOSITION, TRANSFER, OR USE FOR EACH COUNTRY AND THE CIRCUMSTANCES. (Please use space indicated on reverse.)				IF YES, PLEA REFERENCE	SE GIVE COUNTRY, DATE OF NUMBER. <i>(Please use space i</i>	FILING OR IS ndicated on re	SSUANCE AND ASSIGNED	
24. The owners declare that a viable sample of basic seed of the variety will be furnished with application and will be replenished upon request in accordance with such regulations as may be applicable, or								
for a tuber propagated variety a tissue culture will be deposited in a public repository and maintained for the duration of the certificate. The undersigned owner(s) is(are) the owner of this sexually reproduced or tuber propagated plant variety, and believe(s) that the variety is new, distinct, uniform, and stable as required in Section 42.								
and is entitled to protection under the provi Owner(s) is(are) informed that false repres		-		ties.				
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INSTRUCTIONS

GENERAL: To be effectively filed with the Plant Variety Protection Office (PVPO), ALL of the following items must be received in the PVPO: (1) Completed application form signed by the owner; (2) completed exhibits A, B, C, E; (3) for a seed reproduced variety at least 2,500 viable untreated seeds, for a hybrid variety at least 2,500 untreated seeds of each line necessary to reproduce the variety, or for tuber reproduced varieties verification that a viable (in the sense that it will reproduce an entire plant) tissue culture will be deposited and maintained in an approved public repository; (4) check drawn on a U.S. bank for \$2,450 (\$300 filing fee and \$2,150 examination fee), payable to "Treasurer of the United States" (See Section 97.6 of the Regulations and Rules of Practice.) Partial applications will be held in the PVPO for not more than 90 days, then returned to the applicant as unfiled. Mail application and other requirements to Plant Variety Protection Office, AMS, USDA, Room 500, NAL Building, 10301 Baltimore Avenue, Beltsville, MD 20705-2351. Retain one copy for your files. All items on the face of the application are self explanatory unless noted below. Corrections on the application form and exhibits must be initialed and dated. DO NOT use masking materials to make corrections. If a certificate is allowed, you will be requested to send a check payable to "Treasurer of the United States" in the amount of \$300 for issuance of the certificate. Certificates will be issued to owner, not licensee or agent.

Plant Variety Protection Office Telephone: (301) 504-5518 FAX: (301) 504-5291

Homepage: http://www.ams.usda.gov/science/pvp.htm

ITEM

- 18a. Give:
- (1) the genealogy, including public and commercial varieties, lines, or clones used, and the breeding method;
- (2) the details of subsequent stages of selection and multiplication:
- (3) evidence of uniformity and stability; and
- (4) the type and frequency of variants during reproduction and multiplication and state how these variants may be identified
- 18b. Give a summary of the variety's distinctness. Clearly state how this application variety may be distinguished from all other varieties in the same crop. If the inew variety is most similar to one variety or a group of related varieties:
 - (1) identify these varieties and state all differences objectively;
 - (2) attach statistical data for characters expressed numerically and demonstrate that these are clear differences; and
 - (3) submit, if helpful, seed and plant specimens or photographs (prints) of seed and plant comparisons which clearly indicate distinctness
- 18c. Exhibit C forms are available from the PVPO Office for most crops; specify crop kind. Fill in Exhibit C (Objective Description of Variety) form as completely as possible to describe your variety.
- 18d. Optional additional characteristics and/or photographs. Describe any additional characteristics that cannot be accurately conveyed in Exhibit C. Use comparative varieties as is necessary to reveal more accurately the characteristics that are difficult to describe, such as plant habit, plant color, disease resistance, etc.
- 18e. Section 52(5) of the Act requires applicants to furnish a statement of the basis of the applicant's ownership. An Exhibit E form is available from the PVPO.
- 19. If "Yes" is specified (seed of this variety be sold by variety name only, as a class of certified seed), the applicant MAY NOT reverse this affirmative decision after the variety has been sold and so labeled, the decision published, or the certificate issued. However, if "No" has been specified, the applicant may change the choice. (See Regulations and Rules of Practice, Section 97.103).
- 22. See Sections 41, 42, and 43 of the Act and Section 97.5 of the regulations for eligibility requirements.
- 23. See Section 5.5 of the Act for instructions on claiming the benefit of an earlier filing date.
- 22. CONTINUED FROM FRONT (Please provide the date of first sale, disposition, transfer, or use for each country and the circumstances, if the variety (including any harvested material) or a hybrid produced from this variety has been sold, disposed of, transferred, or used in the U.S. or other countries.)

A hybrid produced from this variety was first sold in the United States - February 2000

23. CONTINUED FROM FRONT (Please give the country, date of filing or issuance, and assigned reference number, if the variety or any component of the variety is protected by intellectual property right (Plant Breeder's Right or Patent).)

NOTES: It is the responsibility of the applicant/owner to keep the PVPO informed of any changes of address or change of ownership or assignment or owner's representative during the life of the application/certificate. There is no charge for filing a change of address. The fee for filing a change of ownership or assignment or any modification of owner's name is specified in Section 97.175 of the regulations. (See Section 101 of the Act, and Sections 97.130, 97.131, 97.175(h) of the Regulations and Rules of Practice.)

To avoid conflict with other variety names in use, the applicant must check the variety names proposed by contacting: Seed Branch, AMS, USDA, Room 213, Building 306, Beltsville Agricultural Research Center—East, Beltsville, MD 20705. Telephone: (301) 504-8089.

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EXHIBIT A

Origin and Breeding History 17DHD16

17DHD16 was selected for greater combining ability, improved standability and improved testweight and increased seed size.

Summer 1988	The inbred line 2FACC (a proprietary DEKALB Genetics Corporation inbred) was crossed to inbred line FBLL (a proprietary DEKALB Genetics Corporation inbred) (Nursery Book row number 8073).
Winter 1988-9	S0 seed was grown. (Nursery Book row number 89F:272).
Summer 1989	S1 seed was grown (Nursery Book row numbers 10371 to 10430).
Summer 1991	S2 seed was grown ear-to-row (Nursery Book row numbers 12022 to 12072).
Winter 1991-2	S3 seed was grown ear-to-row (Nursery Book row numbers 92M:C23/33 to 92M:C23/39).
Summer 1993	S4 seed was grown ear-to-row (Nursery Book row numbers 9184 and 9185).
Summer 1994	S5 seed was grown ear-to-row (Nursery Book row numbers 14108 to 14110). S4 seed was also regrown (Nursery Book row number 7748).
Summer 1995	S6 seed was grown ear-to-row (Nursery Book row numbers 14668 to 14673). S5 seed was grown ear-to-row (Nursery Book row numbers 14667 and 14674 to 14685). Seed from rows 14668 to 14673 became 17DHD16.

Statement of Stability and Uniformity

Corn inbred 17DHD16 was coded in 1994 and has been reproduced by self pollination for the past five seasons and judged to be stable. Inbred 17DHD16 is uniform for all traits observed.

Statement of Variants

17DHD16 shows no variants other than what would normally be expected due to environment or that would occur for almost any character during the course of repeated sexual reproduction.

EXHIBIT B

Statement of Distinctness

DEKALB Genetics Corporation believes that 17DHD16 is most similar to corn inbred 2FACC, an inbred developed by DEKALB Genetics Corporation.

17DHD16 and 2FACC differ most significantly in the following traits:

Qualitative Traits:

Trait	17DHD16	2FACC
Brace Root Color	Faint	Dark
Anther Color	Red 2.5 R 5/8	Pink 2.5 R 7/6
Cob Color	Pink 5 R 6/6	Red 5 R 3/8
Kernel Row Direction	Straight	Curved

United States Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Marketing Service Science Division, Plant Variety Protection Office National Agricultural Library Building, Room 500 Beltsville, MD 20705

OBJECTIVE DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY CORN (Zea mays L.)

••		Variety Seed Source		Variety Name or Temporary Designation 17DHD16		
DEKALB Genetics Corporation						
Address (Street & No., or R.F.D. No., City, State, Zip Code and Country)				FOR OFFI	CIAL USE	
3100 Sycamore Road, DeKalb, IL 60115 U.S.A.			1	PVPO Numi		0292
Place the appropriate number that describes the varietal whole numbers by adding leading zeroes if necessary. Com Traits designated by a '*' are considered necessary for	pleteness should	d be striven for	to estab	lish an	adequate varie	
02=Medium Green 07=Yellow 03=Dark Green 08=Yellow-Orange 04=Very Dark Green 09=Salmon	to describe all 11=Pink 12=Light Red 13=Cherry Red 14=Red 15=Red & White	Color choices; 16-Pale 17-Purpl 18-Color 19-White 20-White	Purple e less	2 2 2 2 2 2	# #26 in Commer 21=Buff 22=Tan 33=Brown 4=Bronze 25=Variegated (66=Other (Descr	Describe)
STANDARD INBRED CHOICES(Use the most similar (in backgroung Yellow Dent Families: Family Members	Yellow De	of these to main of these to main (Unrelated): 09, ND246,		Sweet	sed on grow-o u Corn: C13, Iowa5125,	
B14 CM105, A632, B64, B68 B37 B37, B76, H84 B73 N192, A679, B73, NC268 C103 Mo17, Va102, Va35, A682 Oh43 A619, MS71, H99, Va26	Oh7, T23 W117, W1 W182BN White Der	153R		Popco SG15	33, 4722, HP30	1, нР7211
WF9 W64A, A554, A654, Pa91	CI66, H	nt: 105, Ky228			W, Mo16W, Mo24	W
 TYPE: (describe intermediate types in Comments section 2 1=Sweet 2=Dent 3=Flint 4=Flour 5=Pop 6=Orname 		1	Standa 2	rd Inbre	ed Name A619	
2. REGION WHERE DEVELOPED IN THE U.S.A.: * 2 1=Northwest 2=Northcentral 3=Northeast 4=Southe 6=Southwest 7=Other	ast 5=Southcent	ral	Standa 2	rd Seed	Source NCRIPS_	
3. MATURITY (In Region Best Adaptability; show Heat Unit section): DAYS HEAT UNITS 1 4 4 0.5 From emergence to 50% 7 1 1 4 2 9.0 From emergence to 50%	of plants in si	lk	DAYS 0 7 0 7		HEAT UNITS 1 3 7 1. 1 3 6 6.	
From 10% to 90% polle	n shed			_	<u> </u>	-
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		Sample Size			ndard Deviatio	-
* 1 6 9.2 cm Plant Height (to tassel tip)	35.285	40	1 7	6. 7	13.352	
* 0 5 3.9 cm Ear Height (to base of top ear node)	1.556	40	0 3	9.3	6.853	120
0 1 2.4 cm Length of Top Ear Internode Average Number of Tillers	3.323	40	0 1	1. 8	2.507	120
* 1. 0 Average Number of Ears per Stalk	0.000	40		1 0	0 000	120
* 1. U Average Number of Ears per Stark 2 Anthocyanin of Brace Roots: 1=Absent 2=Fai	0.000 nt 3=Moderate 4=	40 Dark	1	1. 0	0.000	120
Application Variety Data Page 1			ł		_	



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Application Variety Data	Page	2	Standard Inbred Data		
5. LEAF:	Standard Deviation	Sample Size	5	Standard Deviation	n Sample Size
* 0 0 9.8 cm Width of Ear Node Leaf	0.990	40	0 0 8.9	0.419	120
* 0 7 3.0 cm Length of Ear Node Leaf	6.152	40	0 6 4.2	3.944	120
* 7. 1 Number of leaves above top ear	0.141	40	5. 4	0.392	50
1 9. 5 degrees Leaf Angle (measure from 2nd leaf above ear	6.364 at anthesis to stalk abo	40 ve leaf)	2 8.5	8.313	100
* 0 2 Leaf Color (Munsell code)			0 3 (Munse	ell code 5 GY ¾)	
7 Leaf Sheath Pubescence(Rate on sc	ale from 1=none to 9=pea	ch fuzz)	1		
3 Marginal Waves (Rate on scale fro	m 1=none to 9=many)		5		
4 Longitudinal Creases (Rate on sca	le from 1=none to 9=many)	8		
6. TASSEL:	Standard Deviation	Sample Size	5	Standard Deviation	n Sample Size
* 0 4.6 Number of Primary Lateral Branches	0.212	40	8. 4	1.804	120
0 9. 3 Branch Angle from Central Spike	3.889	40	2 8.4	3.766	100
* 2 9.5 cm Tassel Length	4.667	40	3 6.1	4.928	120
(from top leaf collar to tassel tip) 5. 3 Pollen Shed (Rate on scale from 0=male	sterile to 9=heavy shed)	4.8		
1 4 Anther Color (Munsell code 2.5 R 5/8)			0 5 (Munse	ell code 2.5 GY 8,	/6)
0 2 Glume Color (Munsell code 5 GY 4/8)			0 2 (Munse	ell code 5 GY 4/8)
1 Bar Glumes (Glume Bands): 1=Absent 2=P	resent		1		
7a. EAR (Unhusked Data):			0 5 06	. 1.1	15)
* 0 5 Silk Color (3 days after emergence) (Mun:	sell code 2.5 GY 8/6)			ell code 2.5 GY 8,	
0 2 Fresh Husk Color (25 days after 50% silk	ing) (Munsell code 5 GY	4/8)		ell code 5 GY 4/8	
2 1 Dry Husk Color (65 days after 50% Silking	g) (Munsell code 2.5 Y 8	/4)		ell code 2.5 Y 8/	4)
* 1 Position of Ear at Dry Husk Stage: 1=Upr:	ight 2=Horizontal 3=Pend	ent	1		
8 Husk Tightness (Rate on scale from 1=very	y loose to 9=very tight)		6		
1 Husk Extension (at harvest): 1≐Short (ear 3=Long (8-10 cm beyond ea			1		
7b. EAR (Husked Ear Data):	Standard Deviation	Sample Size	S	Standard Deviation	n Sample Siz
* 1 4.2 cm Ear Length	1.344	20	1 3.9	1.111	60
* 4 2.5 mm Ear Diameter at mid-point	0.424	20	4 4.3	1.874	60
1 0 9.8 gm Ear Weight	33.446	40	0 9 3.1	12.002	120
* 1 6 Number of Kernel Rows	1.697	40	1 5	0.575	60
2 Kernel Rows: 1=Indistinct 2=Distinct	=		2		
1 Row Alignment: 1=Straight 2=Slightly	y Curved 3=Spiral		1		
1 0.8 cm Shank Length	3.818	40	1 3.0	0.937	120
2 Ear Taper: 1=Slight 2=Average 3=Ext	reme		2		
Application Variety Data			Standard Inb	ored Data	

Note: Use chart on first page to choose color codes for color traits.

Application Variety Data	Page 3		Standard Inbred Data		
8. KERNEL (Dried):	Standard Deviation	Sample Size	Standard Deviation Sample Size		
1 1.0 mm Kernel Length	0.566	20	1 0.6 0.983 60		
0 7.1 mm Kernel Width	0.141	20	0 8. 2 0.754 60		
0 4.4 mm Kernel Thickness	0.283	20	0 3. 9 0.438 60		
2 1. 9 % Round Kernels (Shape Grade)		500g	3 7.7 500g		
1 Aleurone Color Pattern: 1=Homozygous 2=Se	egregating		1		
(*) 1 9 Aleurone Color (Munsell code Lighter than	n 2.5 Y 9/2)		1 9 (Munsell code Lighter Than 2.5 Y 9/2)		
* 0 7 Hard Endosperm Color (Munsell code 2.5 Y	8/10)		0 7 (Munsell code 2.5 Y 8/10)		
* 0 3 Endosperm Type: 1=Sweet (sul) 2=Extra Swe 4=High Amylose Starch 5=Waxy Starch 6=Hi 8=Super Sweet (se) 9=High Oil 10=Other			0 3		
2 8. 2 gm Weight per 100 Kernels (unsized sample	2.873	600 seeds	2 6.8 3.808 1200 seeds		
9. COB:	Standard Deviation	Sample Size	Standard Deviation Sample Size		
* 2 2.2 mm Cob Diameter at mid-point	0.283	20	2 6. 5 1.022 60		
1 1 Cob Color (Munsell code 5 R 6/6)			1 9 (Munsell code Lighter Than 5 Y 9/1)		
10. DISEASE RESISTANCE (Rate from 1 (most susceptible) leave blank if not tested; leave Race or Strai					
A. Leaf Blights, Wilts, and Local Infection Diseases					
7 Anthracnose Leaf Blight (Colletotrichum graminicol Common Rust (Puccinia sorghi) Common Smut (Ustilago maydis) 7 Eyespot (Kabatiella zeae) 7 Goss's Wilt (Clavibacter michiganense spp. nebrask 4 Gray Leaf Spot (Cercospora zeae-maydis) 5 Helminthosporium Leaf Spot (Bipolaris zeicola) Rac 6 Northern Leaf Blight (Exserohilum turcicum) Race 2 3 Southern Leaf Blight (Bipolaris maydis) Race 0 Southern Rust (Puccinia polysora) 6 Stewart's Wilt (Erwinia stewartii) Other (Specify)	rense) ne 2		7		
B. Systemic Diseases 3 Corn Lethal Necrosis (MCMV and MDMV) Head Smut (Sphacelotheca reiliana) Maize Chlorotic Dwarf Virus (MCDV) Maize Chlorotic Mottle Virus (MCMV) Maize Dwarf Mosaic Virus (MDMV) Strain Sorghum Downy Mildew of Corn (Peronosclerospora so Other (Specify)	rghi)		4 7 - Strain		
C. Stalk Rots					
Anthracnose Stalk Rot (Colletotrichum graminicola) Diplodia Stalk Rot (Stenocarpella maydis) Fusarium Stalk Rot (Fusarium moniliforme) Gibberella Stalk Rot (Gibberella zeae) Other (Specify)			- - - - -		
D. Ear and Kernel Rots					
Aspergillus Ear and Kernel Rot (Aspergillus flavus Diplodia Ear Rot (Stenocarpella maydis) Fusarium Ear and Kernel Rot (Fusarium moniliforme) Gibberella Ear Rot (Gibberella zeae) Other (Specify))		- - - -		
Application Variety Data			Standard Inbred Data		

Note: Use chart on first page to choose color codes for color traits.

1 Isozymes

1 RFLP's

0 RAPD's

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COMMENTS (eg. state how heat units were calculated, standard inbred seed source, and/or where data was collected. Continue in Exhibit D):

Heat Unit Calculation: GDU = Daily Max Temp ($<=86^{\circ}F$) + Daily Min Temp ($>=50^{\circ}F$) - $50^{\circ}F$

Data collected for '17DHD16' occurred at 2 test locations over 4 years for a total sample size of 40 plants measured. Data was reported as means across years and locations. Data collected for 'A619' occurred at 3 test locations over 5 years for a total sample size of 120 plants measured. Each of the aforementioned characteristics had a wide range of values due to spacial and temporal variation of the test contributing to the large standard deviation. Growing conditions (soil, climate, drought conditions, etc.) contributed significantly to influence the variability of the traits measured.

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EXHIBIT E STATEMENT OF THE BASIS OF OWNERSHIP					
1. NAME OF APPLICANT(S)	TEMPORARY DESIGNATION OR EXPERIMENTAL NUMBER	3. VARIETY NAME			
DEKALB Genetics Corporation		17DHD16			
4. ADDRESS (Street and No., or R.F.D. No., City, State, and ZIP, and Country)	5. TELEPHONE (include area code)	6. FAX (include area code)			
3100 Sycamore Road	(815) 758-9281	(815) 758-3117			
DeKalb, IL 60115 U.S.A.	7. PVPO NUMBER	0000202			
8. Does the applicant own all rights to the variety? Mark an "X" in appropri	iate block. If no, please explain.	YES NO			
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 Is the applicant (individual or company) a U.S. national or U.S. based co If no, give name of country 	ompany?	X YES NO			
10. Is the applicant the original owner? X YES	O If no, please answer one of the fe	ollowing:			
a. If original rights to variety were owned by individual(s), is (are) the or	iginal owner(s) a U.S. national(s)?				
	IO If no, give name of country				
b. If original rights to variety were owned by a company(ies), is(are) the		?			
YES N	If no, give name of country				
11. Additional explanation on ownership (if needed, use reverse for extra sp	pace):	,, ,, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,			
PLEASE NOTE:					
Plant variety protection can be afforded only to owners (not licensees) who meet or	ne of the following criteria:				
If the rights to the variety are owned by the original breeder, that person must be which affords similar protection to nationals of the U.S. for the same genus and	e a U.S. national, national of a UPOV memb species.	er country, or national of a country			
 If the rights to the variety are owned by the company which employed the origin member country, or owned by nationals of a country which affords similar prote 	nal breeder(s), the company must be U.S. bas	sed, owned by nationals of a UPOV enus and species.			
3. If the applicant is an owner who is not the original owner, both the original own					
The original breeder/owner may be the individual or company who directed final br					
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